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12 **As Receiver for SunFirst Bank**
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14 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
15 **FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEVADA**
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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Plaintiff,

v.

JEREMY JOHNSON, etc., et al.,

Defendants.

CASE NO. 2:10-CV-02203-MMD-GWF

**MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS
COUNSEL**

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18 Rodrigo M. Rodriguez, Senior Attorney of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
19 Legal Division, hereby moves the Court for an Order granting permission to withdraw as
20 Counsel of Record for the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, as Receiver for SunFirst Bank
21 ("FDIC-R"). This motion is made pursuant to Local Rule IA 10-6 and is supported by the
22 following:

23 1. LR IA 10-6(b) states that "[n]o attorney may withdraw after appearing in a case
24 except by leave of Court after notice has been served on the affected client and opposing
25 counsel."

1 2. LR IA 10-6(e) further states in part, “[e]xcept for good cause shown, no
2 withdrawal or substitution shall be approved if delay of discovery, the trial or any hearing in the
3 case would result.”

4 3. Good cause for withdrawal exists in this case because Rodrigo M. Rodriguez is
5 retiring from Federal service on November 29, 2013 following a lengthy career with the Federal
6 Deposit Insurance Corporation.

7 4. No delay will result in granting this withdrawal for the reason that the FDIC-R is
8 not currently involved in any discovery, trial or hearing in this case. Additionally, the FDIC-R
9 has also previously designated Sam E. Taylor, Jr. who will remain as its primary Counsel of
10 Record.

11 **WHEREFORE**, the FDIC-R respectfully requests that this Court grant this Motion and
12 enter an order permitting the withdrawal of Rodrigo M. Rodriguez as Counsel of Record for the
13 FDIC-R, together with such other and further relief deemed just and proper under the
14 circumstances.

15 Dated: November 21, 2013


16 Respectfully submitted,

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24 **Attorney for FDIC as Receiver for SunFirst Bank**

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27 **IT IS SO ORDERED:**

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30 Dated: November 22, 2013

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32 GEORGE FOLEY, JR.
United States Magistrate Judge